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## **Grace Period Voter Registration Available**

WAUKEGAN – Lake County Clerk Willard Helander announced that grace period registration for the November 2 General Election begins on Oct. 6 and is available until the close of business on Oct. 26 at the County Clerk's office, 18 North County Street, Waukegan during regular business hours 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays and 8:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Fridays.

During grace period registration, Lake County residents can register or update their Lake County voter registration information and may vote in the November 2010 General Election only at the Clerk's office at the time of their registration. New registrants must be U.S. citizens, residents of their precinct for 30 days immediately prior to Election Day, 18 years old on or before the election, and must provide two forms of identification.

Voter registration through Deputy Registrars will re-open on Nov. 4, two days after the General Election in accordance with election law. Voter registration applications on the mail in form that are postmarked after October 5 will not be eligible to vote, but will be processed and eligible voters after the November 2 election.

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